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Applicants hereby transmit (i) a copy of the PTO notice and (ii) 2 replacement sheets of drawings for Figures 1-3. Applicants submit that no new subject matter is introduced by the replacement sheets of drawings.

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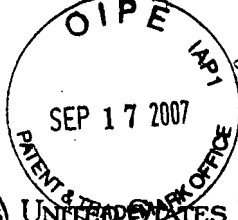
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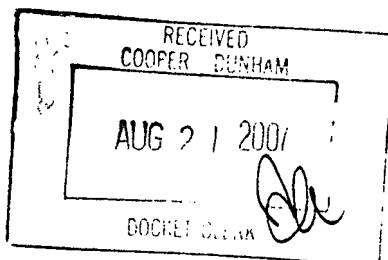
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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/08/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 06/08/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/08/2006
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- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/08/2006
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- Claims filed on 06/08/2006
- Abstracts filed on 06/08/2006
- Drawings filed on 06/08/2006

Applicant's response filed 06/08/2006 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 02/13/2007 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. The current translation of the application into English is defective as described below. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
 - The text in the drawings has not been properly translated.

- Processing fee of \$130 for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Small Entity:

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